

The disbursements for the support of ordinances, and the working expenses of the Congregation amount this year to \$6,399.98 as against \$4,869.71 in 1878, an increase of \$1,530.27. The year commenced with a balance due the Treasurer of \$605.61, while we close the year with a balance in the Treasurer's hands of \$27.50.

#### POOR FUND.

This Fund, as in former years, has been liberally sustained by the congregation. The balance at its credit in last report was \$192.68, to which was added during the year the sum of \$538.19. The amount expended has been \$364.55, leaving in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of \$366.32.

#### MISSIONARY AND BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

The amount for distribution this year will, it is thought, be somewhat in advance of the previous year. The accounts not yet having been closed, the exact sum raised cannot now be stated. A full statement of the work of the Association will be submitted to the congregation early in February, when the Annual Report will be presented.

As it is desirable that *all* should contribute to this Fund, it is hoped that those who may not have been visited by the collectors, will intimate to the Secretary, Mr. Hyde, their desire to be regularly called upon.

#### LADIES' VISITING AND AID SOCIETY.

This Association, organized for the purpose of making up and distributing articles of clothing to those connected with us requiring such assistance, continues to do a good work in that direction. In the way of outside effort, aid was also given to the Nazareth Street School, the Canning Street School, and to the Ladies' French Mission Rooms. From the Report appended, it will be seen that the amount disbursed during the year, was \$153.28, leaving a balance in the Treasurer's hands of \$12.29.